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SUBJECT

Prayer of S K Venkatachari re the establishment of the Public Libraries in the State -

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From B K Venkatachar
Secundrabad
Date 4/3/11

Forwards copy of an open letter addressed to HH Re - the establishment of public libraries in the State

A reply to Mr Venkatachar stating that his request for a scholarship to study in the Baroda State Library and for future employment here cannot be sanctioned is under issue (EDR 305-10)

This may be filed

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Name B K Vaccha
- to Clerk
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Date —— do ——
Date of Act 4th March
Date of Receipt 6th —— do ——
Date of Dispatch
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ABSTRACT

Expresses for
information, copy
of her letter to H.H
the Maharaja of
Mysore, the
heads of the In-
troduction of State
Labourers in Mysore,
and requests the
favour to give her
valuable support
to her proposals —
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Secunderabad
4th March 1911

I Ananda Rao Esqure Ba C I E
Dewan of Mysore

Sir

I have the honor to forward herewith for your information Copy of the 'Open Letter to His the Maharajah of Mysore re Introduction of State Libraries in Mysore' sent to His Highness through the Private Secretary

Re the open letter I beg leave to refer you to the Editorial Comments made by the following Dailies & weeklies of Madras, Mysore, & Bombay

I "Indian Social Reformer" of Bombay 19th Feb'y 11 Page 291
II "Indian Patriot" of Madras 23rd Feb'y 11 " 7
III Mysore Times of Bangalore 22nd & 25th Feb'y 11 " 4
IV Daily Post of —do— 28 Feb'y 11 —

It is my earnest desire that your administration of the exalted office of the Dewanship of Mysore should be characterised by the introduction of some beneficent measure

such as the one proposed by me the importance and results of which will be seen in the enlightenment and culture which the institution of State libraries will surely bring to thousands of His Highness' subjects who are in a position to benefit themselves by such institutions and as such I hope the above suggestion will commend itself to your very best and serious attention and consideration. I further beg to inform you that should the Govt of Mysore be pleased to consider the suggestion favorably there is an excellent opportunity offered now in Baroda where a class of ten paid probationers for State library service is going to be or has been formed to study library administration and organisation under the direction of the Director of State libraries Dr draiving H.H. the Maharajah's kind and gracious attention to this fact I have also requested His Highness that I may be permitted to join the Baroda library class on a monthly allowance of Forty (40) Rupees to study library administration organisation with a view to start State libraries in the Province

May I therefore request you

to kindly give your very valuable support
to the above proposal

In Conclusion I beg to request the favour of an early acknowledgement of the receipt of this letter and the enclosed

I beg to remain
Sir
Your most obedient Servant
B K Venkatachar
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Please address:—

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B Krishna Iyengar Esqr
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